

The Bethel News.

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BETHEL, MAINE, WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1907.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

One-Half Price.

Here are countless styles in Ladies' Misses' and Children's JACKETS and SUITS, all made to our order this season, and prices are cut one-half the regular price which is much less than the material would cost you.

PRINCE CHAP SUITS in gray mixtures of all wool, jacket silver gray satin lined, full skirt, a good style for fall, were \$15.00, now only \$7.50.

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This store will be closed Friday afternoons during July and August.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

The principal of Gould's Academy, Bethel, takes pleasure in announcing to the patrons and friends of the school that a Normal Training Course will be established in that institution, beginning with the fall term of 1907. This course will be instituted with the approval of the State Superintendent of Schools, and conducted in accordance with the laws of the State, the object being to supply a long felt need in this locality, by offering to young men and women who intend to teach, an opportunity to acquire, near home, and at minimum expense, a systematic course of professional training.

The course will cover four years' work, but will differ so little during the first two years from the regular academic course, that students who have carefully completed two years in a standard high school or academy may complete the course in two years. Graduates of Gould's Academy, or of other schools of like grade, may, by close application, complete the strictly professional work of the course in one year.

A teacher of the best professional training and successful experience will be placed at the head of this new department, arrangements will be made to use the town schools for model and practice work, and no pains will be spared to make this course one of the strongest, most interesting and most helpful in the school.

Application for admission to this course should be made to the principal as early as possible.

FRANK E. HANCOCK, Principal.

RUSSELL-ROWE.

On Wednesday, July 10, 1907, Miss Alice M. Russell and Mr. Herbert C. Rowe were united in marriage. The wedding was held at the home of the groom, and his mother, who is an invalid, might be present.

The decorations were simple and artistic and were completed by the table linen. With many beautiful presents. At the hour of eight thirty o'clock Miss Rowe played the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march and the happy party marched down the stairs to meet the Reverend Israel Jordan who stood waiting under a tower of evergreens. The ceremony was simple and very impressive, the double ring service being used. The bride was attended in a dress of pure white silk and was attended by her sister, Miss Clara A. Russell, who wore a light blue silk dress. The groom was attended by Mr. Frederic H. Merrill.

After refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch, Mr. and Mrs. Rowe left for a trip to the Bangsleys and the Maine coast, and the best wishes of their friends go with them.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The services for next Sunday will be, "Christian Experience," Sunday school at seven o'clock, "Abraham's Religion," Christian Experience meeting at seven o'clock. Topic, "The First Four Commandments." The consideration of this topic for forty sessions, there is twenty minutes talk by the pastor on "Home Birds of the Bible." All are cordially invited.

THE NEWS ABOUT TOWN.

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP BY THE NEWS MAN.

Mrs. Alice Farwell has been visiting relatives in Glen.

Miss Ethel Sanborn went to Monrovia Falls Thursday.

Mr. L. B. Hopkins is at home from Boston on a vacation.

Mr. Eben Kibben of South Paris was in town last week.

Miss Grace Ames is at home from New York for the summer.

Mrs. John Coburn, who had a re-lapse last week, is improving.

Prof. W. S. Wright went to Bryant's Pond and Norway Tuesday.

Mr. George French and family of Augusta have returned home.

Miss Alice French of Hamford Falls is at home on a vacation.

Mrs. O'Day and daughter, Orlene Saunders, went to Portland Sunday.

Prof. W. S. Wright returned from a visit in South Paris last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Israel Jordan of Fal-mouth were in town last week.

Mr. Charles Davis attended the circus in Lewiston last Saturday.

Dorothy Mason is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. O. M. Mason.

Miss Sallie Tyler of West Bethel visited relatives in town last week.

Mr. Oscar Mason of South Paris visited relatives in town last week.

Mr. Ora Wilcox of Norway was the guest of relatives in town Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. C. O. Foster next Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Amos Scribner of Gorham, N. H., called on Mr. H. H. Bean Tuesday.

Mr. A. F. Howe and family of Bangsley, Mass., are at Bethel for the summer.

Miss Vera Wright of South Paris has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary Horne.

Mr. Ernest Skinner of Dorchester, Mass., was a guest of D. R. Hastings last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Springer and daughter, Florence, spent Sunday in Winthrop, Me.

Mr. Bowker of Bryant's Pond spent the Fourth with his sister, Mrs. Elwood Manley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ayers Mann and little son visited at Mr. T. J. Hastings Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Flint and daughter were guests at Mrs. T. J. Foster's last week.

Mr. Mace Frizzell of Groveton, N. H., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hastings Sunday.

The Ladies' club will hold another cake sale on Mrs. J. M. Philbrook's lawn Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Robert Baber has gone to the lake for the summer where he has a fine position as chemist.

Mr. Leslie Mason came up from Portland in his auto last week to visit his mother, Mrs. M. M. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hastings and daughter, Mrs. Fred Dodge, have gone to their cottage at Isleboro.

Miss Bruce E. Andrews went to Boston, Mass., Monday where she will spend the summer studying music.

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth League Thursday evening, July 11, at 7:30 o'clock in the vestry.

Reverend Russell Russell doesn't forget the two eggs sent by the Ladies' Relief corps at Native Hall tonight at six o'clock.

Miss Maudie Apple has finished work at M. M. Hastings' and will go to school the first of the week to visit her sister, Mrs. Fred Roberts.

Mrs. Harvey Philbrook, who has been visiting her parents in Gorham, N. H., called on relatives in town last week on her way to her home in Gorham.

JULY FOURTH.

Fantastics, Fire Crackers, Fun and Foolishness.

The Fourth came in as usual with a bang. An army of young Americans were on the spot when the clock struck 12 and any who were not, at that time, remembered the fact that the glorious Fourth had been ushered in, can lay no claim to insomnia.

Bells, horns, fire crackers and many a vocal apparatus made the midnight air ring when the dawning of the day revealed the fact that the night had not all been spent in making noise. There is always a temptation for the boys to lay aside their noise, on the night before the Fourth, long enough to get up a few pranks and this year was not an exception. What pranks and other mischief that could be gotten hold of in the upper end of the village, were piled on the piazzas of the stores of Colver and Edwin Rowe.

Such pranks done in town are usually accepted gracefully and as we have learned, were so accepted this year. As long as no damage to property is done no one seems inclined to object to them. We understand, however, that one or two windows were broken on Main street, which is to be regretted. Let the boys have their fun but let them be very careful that nobody is injured or any property is in any way destroyed.

Fantastics.

Fantastics had been advertised and at the appointed hour made their appearance. The procession was small as it is understood that several who had promised to participate were not forth coming. There were several take offs on the local horse men, a team representing the Maine music festival which carried several small boys with tin horns, tin pans, etc., from which was

Mr. Leonard Pratt of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. M. Farrell.

Mr. L. B. Hopkins is home from Boston for the summer vacation. He will remain during July and August.

Mr. Lou Pratt and friend of Cambridge, Mass., came to Bethel Thursday and have been visiting Mr. Pratt's sister, Mrs. H. M. Farrell.

H. F. Clark, in the employ of the General Electric Co. of Lynn, Mass., as draftsman, has been enjoying his vacation at Bethel. Mrs. Clark and children came up three weeks ago and returned with him last Saturday.

Rev. F. B. Schomer went to Boston Monday returning accompanied by Mrs. Schomer and daughter, Mary, who are just home from several months' visit with Mrs. Schomer's parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. in Bangs, Italy.

W. S. Wright has charge of selling the course tickets for the music festival to be held in Portland this fall. All who wish for a good seat should see him now and get their name on the subscription list, as the first ones get a much better seat. The attraction is greater than ever this year with Madison Lake for the great prize dance. Leave a postal at the post office and Mr. Wright will call on you.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rob and their two sons, Stephen and Gilbert, have taken possession of the old Seavey place on Bangs Road which they have had converted into a summer cottage for their use and which they have named, "The Boat." Mr. Rob has just purchased an additional 25 acres, more or less, surrounding the previous purchase and he now has somewhere in the neighborhood of half a mile of water front on the pond.

Mr. Fred Mardock of Cambridge, Mass., visited his cousin, Mrs. H. M. Farrell last week. Mr. Mardock was graduated from the Bangs Manual Training School of Cambridge, Mass., one year ago, at the age of eighteen and was immediately offered the position of teacher of Manual Training in the Bethel School for Boys, in Bethel, Me., which school was founded by an ex-president of the University of California. Mr. Mardock was recommended for the place from a class of sixty-five boys. He is at present spending the vacation with his parents in Bangs, but will return to Bethel in August for two years' work on the same school, after which he intends to enter Harvard. We venture to say he is the youngest teacher holding such a position from Maine to California.

PHONOGRAPHS.

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Bethel, Maine.

dispensed music which was indeed charming, while one team carried a large banner representing the "Man on the Moon," whoever he may be. We understand that this last representation has been photographed and souvenir postal cards are on sale at King's at five cents each, and are going like hot cakes. A second car load has just come in; get them quick before they are all gone.

Base Ball.

One of the interesting features of the day was a base ball game between the married men and the single men of Bethel. The married men insisted that the one thing necessary for the single men, if they would play good base ball, was to get married, while the single men were confident that if the married men would win in base ball they must get single, hence the people for miles around, especially the unmarried members of the gentler sex, were anxious to know whether the single men would get married or whether the married men would become single, and thus a swarm of people met at Riverside Park to see the important question of the hour fought out upon the diamond.

It was, indeed, a battle of strength. Both sides fought like gladiators, while the multitude, especially the fair children, looked on in breathless interest.

A better game has not been played at Riverside Park for years, than was this one. In the first three innings not a run was made by either side nor hardly a man saw first base. In the fourth, the married men got one run and in the fifth the singles matched them with a run. It was then nip and tuck to the pitch, at the close of which the score stood 2 to 2. A throw was required to finish the game and here the married men got into the game with vengeance and brought in five runs. The singles came up with an equally determined vengeance but were able to score but one run and the game ended, 7 to 3 in favor of the married men.

Races.

Horse racing had been advertised as the feature of the afternoon and the lovers of this sport met at Riverside Park at the appointed hour. Three races were called and half mile heats finished in each.

The first to be called was the 2:40, to which two were entered, Royard Walker, Jr., and George, the former winning in two straight heats. Time, 1:37 and 1:32.

3 Year Old Class.
There were three to enter in this class, Frances Babie, Fredonia and Hedra. Frances Babie drew the pole and held it to the end. Score, Frances Babie, 1 to Fredonia, 2 to Hedra, 3 to 2. Time 1:10, 1:07.

5 Year Old Class.
This class also had two starters, Abimeam and Ajax. Abimeam took the pole and won the race in three straight heats and it was whispered that he had the new record that is being held by the new star that is being talked of in this race. The score, Abimeam, 1 to Ajax, 2 to 3. Time, 1:14, 1:04, 1:04.

With the racing ended the public sports of the day and it then remained for the young Americans to spend what few minutes they could not get time to spend off before and for an

occasional citizen to give an exhibition of fire works upon his lawn in the evening.

GERTIE LOWE.

Dear Gertie from us has gone. Her voice we loved is still. Her place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled.

God in his wisdom has received, The boon his love had given, And though the body molded, The soul is safe in heaven.

Mrs. N. L.

SCHOOL HONORS.

Friends are congratulating Miss Shirley Russell upon the honors which came to her in the Brooklyn, N. Y., High School from which she graduated last January. Eight of the fourteen High School girl graduates who received over 90 per cent. in the superintendent's examination, (and there were about seven hundred) were members of the graduating class of the Brooklyn High School. This is a marked honor as there are twenty-one such schools in New York City. Miss Russell also had the highest average marks during the senior term. She entered Adelphi College the next day after her high school graduation, and was one of many to try for the Adelphi College Scholarships, and not only won, but received the following personal note from Prof. Pradenburg, "You passed the best examination of any one on the list. Permit me to congratulate you." The scholarship is free tuition during the college course.

Word was sent to the high school that Miss Russell and another of the high school girls had presented the best French papers ever presented at the college.

It will be remembered that Miss Russell graduated from Gould's Academy in 1905 and had an honor part, and classmates and friends are heavily so congratulating and express the wish that the college course begin with such flattering prospects may continue to add honors and happiness.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in the late bereavement of the death of our dear daughter, Gertie; also to the pastor who spoke words of comfort to the singers, and to those who sent beautiful flowers; to the learners who laid away our loved one, and all who assisted in the last sad duty of our daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lowe,
Mr. Maudie Lowe,
Miss Clara Lowe.

TO LET.—Two tenements on Vernon street, six rooms each, garden, wash, postage, etc. Inquire of LEVI BARTLETT, Chapman street, No. 1.

STRAYED.

Two cows, one red with horns and one Jersey without horns. Finder will be rewarded by reporting to David B. York, Bethel, Me. R. F. D. 2.

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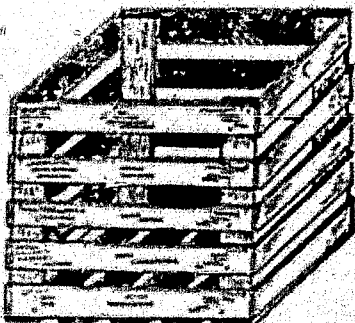
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HORTICULTURE

A GOOD BUSHEL CRATE.

F. H. Ballou of Ohio Experiment Station Tells Their Good Points.

The desirable features of a crate for holding or storing potatoes, apples or other produce are lightness, strength, compactness and convenience in handling. If these points be combined in a style or form of package that will enable us to store them away economically when empty—in the least possible space—we have pretty nearly the ideal crate. Personally I do not



The Bushel Crate.

care for a "folding" crate. The number of parts and the cost of manufacturing are increased, and one is likely to find himself unwittingly infringing on some one's "patent." Besides, the folding feature is of no great advantage to the busy man, who has use for the crates nearly the whole year round. A style of crates that anyone can build, and which may be stored away, three crates in the space of two, ought to be good enough for the most exacting. We are using such crates at the experiment station, and they give excellent service and satisfaction. They hold a full round bushel level full, and permit of a cover being nailed on, or of being racked up, one upon another, without crushing or bruising the contents. The cubic contents of such crates, dimensions for making which are given below, are about 3,700 cubic inches, while 2,633 cubic inches constitute a legal or U. S. rounded bushel.

The crates are made entirely of light strips of wood—no solid ends, sides or bottoms being used. Material, exact measure: Uprights or corner posts—length, 12½ inches; width 3 inches; thickness, ½ inch. Ends, 13½ inches by 2 by ½ inch. Sides and bottom, 16½ inches by 2 by ½ inch.

This makes a crate 15½ inches long, 13½ inches wide and 13½ inches high, outside measure, and the pieces are assembled as I have shown in a diagram presented herewith. These crates can be "nested"—three in the space of two.

GOOD GARDEN TOOLS.

Skill Rather Than Strength Needed in Their Handling.

The gardener's work depends more upon skill than upon strength. The grub hoe, the pick and the breaking up plow for new land need to be strong, but in the garden a light tool in good condition will make the work easier and accomplish more than the heavy tool. Keep the hoes sharp and the teeth of the cultivator and horse hoe down to cutting edge, and good points to the plow, and keep everything clean and bright, so that dirt will not adhere to them to double their weight and lessen their efficiency. The light tool may not last as long as the heavy one, and if it seems to be using up the hoe very fast to grind it every day, at least it is better to wear out several hoes than one man or boy.

Many a boy has become disgusted with farm work and with the farm itself, simply because he was given worn-out tools to work with, which had been condemned as unfit for a good workman to use. Put such tools, says the Northwestern Agriculturist, into the junk heap, or lay them away to be used only in cases of extreme emergency, and give the boys good tools and teach them how to use them and take care of them, and even if they do spoil them by not knowing how to use them, it will be better than spoiling the boys. We remember when our father bought us a new hoe, small and light, suitable for a boy, and in showing us how to use it he found it worked so well and easily that it was not long before he had a new one himself.

In Growing Lettuce.

In growing lettuce it has usually been held that for forcing the crop sandy soils were the only suitable medium, says Homestead, but in a series of tests, covering four crops, in growing head lettuce, at the New York experiment station, it was found that the best results were secured when a soil of rather compact texture, having a clay loam at its base, which, however, contained a good portion of fine clay, sand and silt and was moderately lightened with well rotted horse manure. Fertilizer tests were carried on at the same time on a large variety of soils, and it was found that the texture of the soil exerted more influence than did the source of the plant food. In fact, on sandy loam the commercial fertilizer produced best results than did stable manure, but on clay loam the stable manure did best.

THOROUGHNESS IN DETAIL.

Don't Hatch More Chickens Than You Can Well Care For.

Success in the poultry business depends largely on the thoroughness in all its details. It has been truly said "that whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well," therefore, we should bear this in mind at the beginning of the hatching season, and not hatch more chicks than we can properly care for. A small flock of poultry well taken care of is more satisfactory and more profitable than a very large flock of scrawny, lousy fowls which are unfit for home use and are always a drag on the market.

It is better to have a flock of 50 hens well taken care of than to have a flock of 500 raised in a haphazard sort of way. The poultryman who devotes his time exclusively to the business who raises poultry merely as a side line. The farmer, on the other hand, is overtaxed with work and feel that cannot give their poultry the attention it should have. The wise thing to do under these circumstances is to bear in mind that quality will pay better than quantity and refrain from hatching more than one can properly take care of.

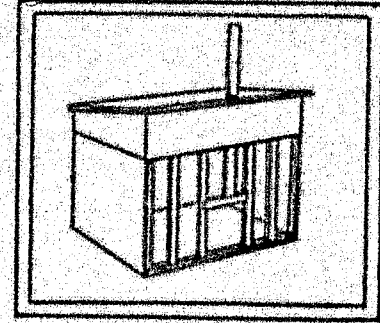
It is quite amusing during the spring and summer months to hear the reports of the housewives in a neighborhood of chickens which has hatched. We would like to hear from them again in the fall; it is the number we raise that counts, provided the quality is right. We cannot raise poultry like weeds; if we did they would be like weeds—worthless. Who could relish a tough, scrawny, lousy fowl, which had been starved all its life, and tortured with lice? Does it pay to raise such fowls?

Why not be consistent about these things, urges Farmers' Advocate, and remember that fowls should have clean places to roost, clean food, and fresh water, clean drinking vessels, and clean troughs or pans for their feed. The bill of fare should be changed often; they should have access to fresh dirt. Grit should always be before them. Lime and disinfectants should be freely used to keep down odor. Success cannot be obtained in any business without effort and the poultry business is no exception to the rule. Persistent efforts and thoroughness in all the details are what count and will bring results that can be obtained in no other way.

A CHEAP CHICKEN COOP.

Easily Made and Only Costs Twenty-Five Cents.

I use coops for hens and chicks which cost not over 25 cents, says a writer in Farm and Home. From the store I get boxes about two feet square at ten cents each. Knock out one side and saw a piece of wood



The Hen Coop.

from corner to corner. Fix these two pieces on the ends of the box by means of a piece of wood inside, then place the other pieces on top, and cover with tin or roofing paper. One board is used at the top in front and the rest is inclosed with laths. The middle lath is fixed to slide up and down. A pair of old trunk handles makes it easier to carry.

CHICKEN NOTES.

The ducks ought to have some animal food, or they will not lay fertile eggs.

A variety of food will help to keep the hens healthy and will also be good for the egg production.

To select good layers begin by eliminating the lazy hens. A lazy hen has no place in a flock of breeding birds.

Ordinarily a goose will hatch out her own eggs and rear her goslings in her own way better than it can be done for her. Charcoal is a good regulator and should be fed occasionally to the young chicks. Mix it in their mash or feed it dry, just as you please.

The kitchen scraps will be quite an item toward the feed of a small flock of hens and they will give better returns for them than the pig will.

In ordering eggs from advertisers or in filling mail orders great care should be used to avoid mistakes. Be sure you are right and then go ahead.

The cost of keeping a hen on the farm is less than 10 cents a year. An average hen will lay ten dozen eggs a year. Good layers will lay many more. The pulling out here and there of an objectionable feather may never be discovered in the show room, but they will make their influence felt in future generations.

In dressing ducks for market, it is sometimes impossible to pick all of the down off. Grasp your hands and rub all over the duck. It will look much sleeker.

Variety of Feed Needed.

There is no formation of lime which will supply the amount necessary for egg shells, unless there is a variety of food with it. The commercial food seems to contain little lime, but the necessary lime is found in a variety of forms, when the hens have access to it.

WIT AND WISDOM.

An Important Discovery.

"My wife," he remarked, "has made a very important discovery."

"Indeed," said his companion, "what is it, sir?"

"A new substance that is apparently indestructible."

His companion recalled the fact that the wife had been a professor of natural science prior to her marriage, and inquired if she had been long at work upon the invention.

"No," he replied, "and it came about quite by accident. She was trying to make a sponge cake."—The Royal.

Bad sick headaches, biliousness or constipation are quickly relieved by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small pill, sure pill, safe pill—prompt and pleasant in action. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

His Business.

"And what are you in for?" asked the kind old lady, stopping before cell 470.

"Alas, mum," replied Davy the Dip with a sigh, "It has all become I was tryin' to get up in the world."

"You poor man. And what was your line of work?"

"I was a porch climber, mum."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

Can It.

She—What is your idea of the best way to preserve domestic peace?

He—Well, there are lots of people try to preserve it in family jars.

Talk about your breakfast foods, a thousand you can see; I would not have them as a gift, but would have Rocky Mountain Tea.

W. E. Besserman.

Ups and Downs.

Little Miss Pearl is a funny girl—the queerest in the town. One day she took her watch-apart, then she let it run down.

—Chicago News.

A cleansing, clean, cooling, soothing, healing household remedy is DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel Salve. For burns, cuts, scratches, bruises, insect bites, and sore feet it is unequalled. Good for Piles. Beware of imitations. Get DeWitt's. It is the best. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

Proves It.

"The chief reforms urged on railroads are merely changing existing ones about."

"In what way?"

"Watering less stock on their capital and more on the cattle trains."—Baltimore American.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulators. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

A Last Stand.

"Don't you think the Newriches have too much silver at their functions?"

"Do let them show there's something about them which has polish."—Baltimore American.

Thousands of people are daily suffering with kidney and bladder troubles—dangerous ailments that should be checked promptly. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are the best remedy for backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder. Their action is prompt and sure. A week's treatment for 25c. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

Accounts For It.

"How Mr. Smith does write! His flowing style fairly gushes forth."

"That's because he uses a fountain pen."—Baltimore American.

Your brain goes on a strike when you overload your stomach; both need blood to do business. Natrilium is what you want, and it comes by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Ten or Tablets. W. E. Besserman.

Sincere Attachment.

"Is Higgins a backslider?"

"He must be. He never returns any that he borrows."—Washington Star.

A Hard Lot.

of trouble to contend with, spring from a torpid liver and blocked bowels, unless you awaken them to their proper action with Dr. King's New Life Pills; the pleasant and most effective cure for Constipation. They prevent Appendicitis and loosen up the system. 25c at W. E. Besserman's drug store.

Columbus just landed meeting a big Indian chief with a package under his arm, he asked what it was. "Great medicine," replied the Indian. "Great medicine," replied Columbus. "What is it?" asked Columbus. "It is the medicine that will cure you of all your troubles, when the headache comes on."

He Took It Badly.

"You are quite run down," said the faceless cyclist to the man he had knocked over; "you ought to take something."

"I will," said the victim, jumping up; "I'll take it out of your hide."

And he did.

Can't look well, eat well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

Merely an Income.

"Why didn't you accept Jack when he proposed?"

"Because I didn't know what his financial standing was, my dear."

"I didn't know you were marrying for riches."

"I'm not, my dear. Merely alimony."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Nearly all old-fashioned Cough Syrups are constipating, especially those that contain opiates. They don't act just right. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup contains no opiates. It drives the cold out of the system by gently moving the bowels. Contains Honey and Tar and tastes nearly as good as maple syrup. Children like it. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

What He Feared.

The dishonest gardener, just discharged, eyed his later master gloomily, and shook his head at him.

"You will miss me, sir," he said, with a relish. "You will miss me before I have gone 'alf an 'our.'"

"That," replied his master, nastily, "I shall bear with fortitude, so long as I don't miss anything else."—Chicago Journal.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Sloop's Magic Ointment. Its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-tipped glass jars 50 cents. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

By the Porter.

"Train holidays," said the old traveler, "are nothing new for me. I've been in lots of them."

"How does it seem to be covered with a revolver?" asked the listener.

"Can't say," replied the old traveler. "I've always been held up with a wild brown."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

When there is the slightest indication of indigestion, heart burn, flatulence or any form of stomach trouble take a little Kodol occasionally and you will be afforded prompt relief. Kodol is a compound of vegetable acids and contains the juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol digests what you eat, makes your food do you good. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

Happy Thought.

"Wilkins has a great scheme for giving his baby an airing this summer."

"Proceed."

"He's going to attach a box to the top of the lawn mower and let the kid ride in it when he mows the lawn."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

When the baby is teething it is cross and restless; it becomes feverish, and in many cases vomits a great deal and oftentimes cannot even keep cool water on the stomach. All the delicate little organs of the stomach are affected, bringing on colic and diarrhoea. Gasacweat for babies and children makes the stomach right and allays inflammation and prevents irritation. Gasacweat makes the baby happy and well. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

A New Idea.

"It is a wonder these society people who are always trying for a new sensation in their functions don't give dried apple parties."

"What put such an idea into your head?"

"They would be such swell affairs."—Baltimore American.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Deane's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer. All druggists sell it.

What Attracted Him.

"Step!" commanded Miss Neron, with a disdainful sniff. "The idea of your proposing to a lady in my station of life! You ought to know better!"

"Well," replied Mr. Haster, "I do know better, but as riches."—The Royal.

"I'll stop your pain free. To show you first—before you spend a penny—what my Pink Pain Tablets can do, I will mail you free, a Trial Package of them—Dr. Sloop's Headache Tablets. Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache, Period pains, etc., are due almost to blood congestion. Dr. Sloop's Headache Tablets simply kill pain by causing every like congested blood vessel to dilate. That is all. Address: Dr. Sloop, Boston, Wis. Sold by H. S. Pashard.

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DAINTIES THAT ARE POPULAR ACROSS THE WATER.

Sweet Potato Buns—Something of a Novelty—Cinnamon Cake Good for Change from Universal Currants and Seeds.

Sweet Potato Buns—Are very tasty, and are made as follows: Take three large sweet potatoes, one and a half pints of flour, pinch of salt, one and a half teaspoonsful of baking powder, one pint of cream. Boil the potatoes, rub them very fine with cream. Sift together flour, salt and powder, and add to potato preparation. Mix into rather firm, smooth dough, form into round pieces the size of a small egg. Lay on a greased tin and bake in a hot oven 20 minutes.

Home-Made Tomato Sauce.—Two pounds of tomatoes, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour, two cloves, and a slice of onion. Cook tomatoes, onion and cloves ten minutes, beat the flour; when smooth and brown, stir into the tomatoes and cook ten minutes, season to taste with salt and pepper, and rub through a strainer. Serve with fish or macaroni.

Cinnamon Cake—Is a decided change from the endless round of "seeds" and "currants." Take three-quarters of a cupful of butter, two cupfuls of sugar, three eggs (well beat), one cupful of milk, one teaspoonful of ground cinnamon, four cupfuls of sifted flour, with one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake in loaf or square pans. Have ready one-quarter cupful of melted butter, with sugar and cinnamon mixed in stiff enough to spread. Put it on the cake as soon as it is taken from the oven.

Fig Pudding—Is always a popular dish. A simple recipe is: A quarter of a pound of figs, chopped fine, two cupfuls of bread crumbs, one cupful of brown sugar, a quarter of a pound of suet, chopped fine, two eggs, the grated rind and juice of one lemon, one dessertspoonful of molasses, half a teaspoonful of one tablespoonful of flour. Steam three hours and serve with lemon sauce.

Chicken Salad in Jelly. Add to the water in which the chicken or fowl is to be boiled a small onion, three whole cloves, a tablespoonful of salt, and a little celery or parsley. When the meat is tender remove all the flesh from the bones of the bird and chop it very fine. For two and one-half cups of this chopped meat which has been very carefully freed from bones and skin and seasoned to taste with paprika and salt, allow one and one-fourth teaspoonfuls of granulated gelatin. Soak the gelatin in cold water, and then dissolve it in a cup of the hot chicken stock. Add the gelatin to the prepared meat, and turn into molds. If one has not the proper molds for this, a baking powder tin may be good and the meat set in slices when removed, or the mixture may be molded in small cups. The meat should be packed very solidly in the mold, which has been dipped in cold water, and stand for several hours in the ice chest before serving. Arrange on lettuce leaves and serve with a good mayonnaise dressing.

Had Got the B.H.

"Don't you think my new gown is becoming?"

"Yes, and so am I."

"You know! What on earth do you mean?"

"Becoming bankrupt!"—Hawthorne.

HYPOTHETICAL QUESTION.

"Miss Prilly," said the young lawyer with the high brow and the Henry Clay forelock, "let me ask you a hypothetical question. Suppose that a young man of excellent habits and increasing income—a young man who believed himself fully capable of making a woman happy—were to appear before a young woman who had eyes of rare and radiant luster and hair of the texture and glory of spun gold; whose lips were more perfect than Hogarth's line of beauty; whose cheeks held a tint that, at to shame the magnificent pink of the rose-petal—a young woman whose culture and charm easily placed her immeasurably above all other women in the world, and he were to ask this young woman if she would?"

"Oh, Mr. Blackstone!" she whispered, sinking into his arms. "Yes!"—Judge.

FEMININE AMENITIES.



Miranda—Last evening Reggie called me dear!

Myrilla—Yes, he probably thinks you are—at any price!—New York Press.

Her Revenge. There was a young woman named Lulu, Who wished a rich man to come woo her. But as none showed desire, She got made as fire, And went off and married a Duke, —Baltimore American.

The Heisen. Assistant—I understand your private secretary has got a raise in salary. Queer he has never mentioned it.

Proprietor—Not at all. It's his faculty for keeping his mouth shut that got him the raise.—Detroit Free Press.

Totally Different Character.

"He must be a good fellow."

"Nonsense! Where did you get that idea? He never seen to be a club and—"

"But his wife says he's a very good fellow and when a man's wife—"

"Oh! That's another thing. There's a big difference between a 'very good fellow' and a 'good fellow.'"

Her Changed Opinion.

"Mrs. Van Selbba seems to have changed her opinion of Galloway. She used to say she didn't believe he had an ounce of brains in his head. A moment ago I heard her declare that he was one of the brightest men she had ever met."

"I happened to overhear him say to her at the Winslow's the other night, that he couldn't understand why she dreamed in the style of a middle-aged lady, when she had the right to wear the garret of gay things."—Chicago Record-Herald.

NORWAY.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Smith spent the Fourth at Leavitt's cottage.

Montell Bradbury has started his new house which is to be built on Marion street, the site having been laid out and the cellar built.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. and son, Bruce Hayden, have arrived from Haverhill, Mass., and will occupy their cottage The Haverhill, for the summer.

The editor of the Hamilton Review, W. C. Stiles of New York, is visiting here, this having been his boyhood home.

Stodie Millett is at home from Milan, N. H., where she has been teaching.

E. C. Thompson is fast completing his new house on Tacker street.

Horatio Hammond recently visited at his home in West Paris.

P. E. Tower and family went to Lynn, Mass., the Fourth.

Montell Bradbury and family spent last week in their new cottage.

Mr. Edward Kimball, who has been engaged in canoe making with G. R. Stephenson has gone to Methuen, Mass., where he will take charge of the home farm, his father being in poor health.

Harry Gibson is entertaining his brother, J. F. Gibson, with his wife and son, of Visalia, Cal. This was Mr. Gibson's boyhood home.

A party of young people with Mr. and Mrs. Randall Porter went to Camp Comus the Fourth.

J. W. Libby of South Portland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Libby, over Sunday.

Rev. C. A. Brooks attended the dedication of the new Deacons' home in Portland last week.

The Cummings fishing party which included Postmaster C. S. Adams caught 665 trout on their Capeable trip.

Mrs. Charles L. Hathaway fell down the cellar stairs a short time ago and while she did not break her left arm she injured it badly.

The band concert will be given Tuesday evening of each week unless stormy or necessary to postpone for other unavoidable reasons.

Lee Templeton was called to Bradford recently because of the sickness of his grandmother.

WEST BETHEL.

The Fourth passed very quietly, even the boys did not disturb our slumbers the night before.

Our hearts were all saddened to learn that Mr. Ward Lory had died during the early hours of Thursday morning. He had been ill for several months but his wonderful courage kept him up until Sunday, when he had an ill turn from which he never rallied.

His suffering was very severe until the end came about 2 o'clock, when he quietly fell asleep. He leaves behind his wife, a father, mother, two brothers and three sisters, and they were all home at the funeral which was held at the church Saturday forenoon.

The burial was at West Milan.

Miss M. M. Irish is spending a few weeks at Mr. H. P. Denison's.

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Mrs. George Grover is quite ill. Mrs. Fred Ordway is taking care of her.

Sable Tyler spent a few days with friends at Bethel returning Monday. She is going to work for Mrs. Denison this summer.

Miss Lena Farwell from Middlebury is clerking at Mr. Denison's store.

Lucas Hutchinson's baby has the measles, but is not very sick.

Mrs. Olson and son from Lewiston and Mr. Olson Wheeler and daughter from Berlin were here to attend Ward Lory's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Muts are moving over the birth of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinal McLean sorghed most of us last week, and a very happy surprise it was too.

Mr. Orlina and Wesley Dennis went to Wild river fishing Tuesday, returning Thursday. They caught nearly six hundred.

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L. J. Trask is pressing hay for J. Thurston.

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Quite a number of the people went from here last Thursday evening to North Newry to attend the ball at Kilgore's Hall. It was a very quiet day through the whole town.

W. L. Russell visited at A. R. Tower's last Sunday.

The grange held a picnic in Hanover last Thursday with quite a large attendance.

L. L. Powers from South Paris is spending a few days in town.

NEWRY CORNER.

Bear River Grange.

Bear River Grange patrons observed Children's Day on the Fourth of July by a picnic in Davis grove, Hanover. The entertainment of music and recitations were furnished by the children. The day was ideal and the place all that could be desired. Lemonade, ice cream and other dainties were served to the small folks, whose merriment spoke for their enjoyment of the occasion.

BRYANT'S POND.

The sudden death Friday evening, July 5, of Mrs. Matoria Billings came as a shock to the people of our village. She was about 26 years of age and was the adopted daughter of James M. and Etta Cole Day. She leaves a husband, Benjamin B. Billings and one child, a baby only ten days old.

Mrs. Billings was a most estimable young woman and one who had many friends. Her funeral was held at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon, and the services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Little, assisted by Rev. George B. Hammarford. The Grange and Eastern Star lodges attended in a body. The floral tributes from her relatives and friends were many and beautiful.

There was a fair attendance at the Sunday service held in the Universalist church July 7. Rev. Henry A. Regis of Newry, N. J., one of the ablest ministers of the denomination, was the speaker.

July 14 Rev. Levi M. Powers, D. D., of Haverhill, will preach at the usual hour at the Universalist church, and the following Sunday, July 21, Rev. Q. H. Shinn of Medford will conduct the service.

Among the visitors in town the past week were Mrs. Grace Howe and Mrs. Grace Noyes Emery of Portland, Frank Bartlett and wife, of Long Island, N. Y., Isaac A. Hall and wife of Pateron, N. J., and Henry Hackett and wife of Bridgton.

SOUTH PARIS.

Miss Ruth Pratt of Orange, N. J., is spending the summer at Walter Swett's.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Sprague of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Sprague's parents, Franklin Maxlin and wife.

A party consisting of T. S. Barnes, Mrs. Barnes and Miss Helen Barnes, Miss Mae M. Wheeler, Miss Eva E. Walker, of South Paris, Miss Florence M. Jewett of Denmark, Mrs. Nathan A. Chase of Ilion, N. Y., and J. P. Sprague and Mrs. Sprague of Chicago are at camp Owsley, Harrison, for a short stay.

Mrs. George Parvis of Plain View, Minnesota, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. George Blanchard of Monticello, Colorado, visited their cousin, Mrs. John Murphy, last week.

The Universalist Sunday school will have a picnic in Penley's grove Wednesday.

The "McKenzie Club" held a banquet Friday evening at the new restaurant on Cottage street, Norway, in honor of one of its members, Miss Jennie L. Curtis, who is soon to leave for a new home. Miss Curtis was presented with a handsome ring and the

EAST BETHEL.

Mrs. Etta Dean has gone to Norway to do dressmaking.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bartlett are spending relatives in Waltham, Mass.

Miss Amy Bartlett has closed her school at Rumford Falls and is at home for the summer vacation.

Mr. H. C. Trask joined his family here July 4th, for a short vacation.

Mrs. A. M. Dean is visiting her sister and other relatives in Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Fred Cole and two sons of Washington, D. C., are at their home here for a few weeks' vacation.

Mr. M. S. Cochran celebrated his birthday Fourth of July. He was 76 years old and passed the forenoon cultivating an acre of potatoes.

Mr. Charles Swan of Washington, D. C., is at home for a short vacation.

MIDDLEBURY.

The following are the arrivals at Anger's Retreat, Middlebury, for the week ending July 6th, 1907: C. R. Hawlett, R. Heat Smith, C. A. Fowler, New York City; H. C. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. White, Portland, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Givens, Rumford Falls; F. M. Williams, Mrs. F. M. Williams.

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Leave	To Rumford Falls and Return	To Orono and Return
LEWISTON, 7:25 A.M.	8:00	8:00
ROCHESTER, 8:00	8:25	8:25
BETHEL, 8:25	8:50	8:50
CANTON, 8:50	9:15	9:15
DUNDY, 9:15	9:40	9:40
RUMFORD FALLS, 9:40	10:00	10:00
ORONO, 10:00		

Connection is made at Orono with summer to and from Rangeley giving time for a beautiful sail the entire length of Rangeley Lake and three hours for dinner at Rangeley Lake House and night sailing.

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Saturday, July 20, 1907.

